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FOR: DORIS BRANDIS

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TAGS: CDES (SEID, BARRY MICHAEL)

SUBJECT: DEATH OF U.S. CITIZEN

1. WE DEEPLY REGRET TO INFORM YOU THAT THE WESTERN
MERCIA POLICE OF ENGLAND AT LEOMINSTER, HERTS, ENGLAND
REPORTED TO THE AMERICAN EMBASSY, LONDON, ENGLAND THAT
BARRY MICHAEL SEID BORN AT NEW YORK ON JULY 12, 1947,
BEARER OF US PASSPORT Z1696638 ISSUED AT PAGO PAGO,
AMERICAN SAMOA ON NOVEMBER 15, 1972, DIED INSTANTLY AT
APPROXIMATELY 2100 HOURS ON AUGUST 24 FROM INJURIES
SUSTAINED IN A HIGHWAY ACCIDENT WHEN HIS HIGHPOWERED
MOTORCYCLE COLLIDED WITH A TRUCK ON THE A-49 HIGHWAY NEAR
LEOMINSTER ENROUTE TO LUDLOW, ENGLAND.

2. THE FOLLOWING ESTIMATES ARE PROVIDED FOR YOUR
INFORMATION: LOCAL BURIAL, LONDON, ENGLAND IN PUBLIC
GRAVE \$350; PRIVATE GRAVE \$450; PREPARATION AND AIR
SHIPMENT TO EAST COAST \$925; MID-WEST \$1150; WEST COAST
\$1425; CREMATION AND LOCAL DISPOSITION \$275; CREMATION
AND SHIPMENT OF ASHES TO US BY SURFACE \$325; BY AIR
\$350.

3. PLEASE TELEGRAPH FUNDS AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR
DISPOSITION PROMPTLY AND DIRECTLY TO SPECIAL CONSULAR
SERVICES, AMERICAN EMBASSY, LONDON. INCLUDE NAME OF
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DECEASED IN YOUR REPLY AND NAME AND ADDRESS OF FUNERAL

HOME YOU SELECT IN US IF AIR SHIPMENT DESIRED.

4. UPON RECEIPT OF REQUIRED FUNDS, YOUR INSTRUCTIONS
WILL BE CARRIED OUT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE ALLOWING
A MINIMUM TWO DAYS AFTER RECEIPT OF FUNDS AND RELEASE OF
REMAINS. WHEN SHIPMENT DESIRED THE AIRLINE WILL INFORM
US FUNERAL HOME OF ESTIMATED TIME OF ARRIVAL. ON
COMPLETION OF ALL FORMALITIES, AN INVENTORY OF EFFECTS
AND A COPY OF REPORT OF DEATH PREPARED BY EMBASSY WILL
BE SENT YOU. PLEASE ACCEPT OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY.

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